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The invocation was offered by Pastor Jared K. Henry of Mackey Church of the Nazarene in Mackey, IN, a guest of Representative Bacon.

The House convened at 1:30 p.m. with Speaker Brian C. Bosma in the Chair.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by members of the Black Caucus.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Abbott	Jackson
Austin	Jordan
Aylesworth	Judy
Bacon	Karickhoff
Baird	Kirchhofer
Barrett	Klinker
Bartels	Lauer
Bartlett	Lehe
Bauer	Lehman
Beck	Leonard
Behning	Lindauer
Borders	Lucas <input type="checkbox"/>
Boy	Lyness
T. Brown	Macer
Burton	Manning
Campbell	May
Candelaria Reardon <input type="checkbox"/>	Mayfield
Carbaugh	McNamara
Cherry	Miller
Chyung	Moed
Clere	Morris
Cook	Morrison
Davisson	Moseley
Deal	Negele
DeLaney	Nisly
DeVon	Pfaff
Dvorak	Pierce
Eberhart	Porter
Ellington	Prescott
Engleman	Pressel
Errington	Pryor
Fleming	Saunders
Forestal	Schaibley
Frye	Shackleford
GiaQuinta	Sherman
Goodin	Smaltz
Goodrich	V. Smith
Gutwein	Soliday
Hamilton	Speedy
Harris	Steuerwald
Hatcher	Stutzman
Hatfield	Sullivan
Heaton	Summers
Heine <input type="checkbox"/>	Thompson
Hostettler	Torr
Huston	VanNatter

Vermilion
Wesco
Wolkins
Wright

J. Young
Zent
Ziemke
Mr. Speaker

Roll Call 182: 97 present; 3 excused. The Speaker announced a quorum in attendance. [NOTE: ☐ indicates those who were excused.]

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that when we do adjourn, we adjourn until Thursday, February 20, 2020, at 10:00 a.m.

LEHMAN

The motion was adopted by a constitutional majority.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Employment, Labor and Pensions, to which was referred Senate Bill 10, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 8, after line 7, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 7. IC 36-8-10-12, AS AMENDED BY P.L.173-2007, SECTION 46, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020]: Sec. 12. (a) The department and a trustee may establish and operate an actuarially sound pension trust as a retirement plan for the exclusive benefit of the employee beneficiaries. However, a department and a trustee may not establish or modify a retirement plan after June 30, 1989, without the approval of the county fiscal body which shall not reduce or diminish any benefits of the employee beneficiaries set forth in any retirement plan that was in effect on January 1, 1989.

(b) The normal retirement age of an employee beneficiary may be earlier but not later than the age of seventy (70). However, the sheriff may retire an employee who is otherwise eligible for retirement if the board finds that the employee is not physically or mentally capable of performing the employee's duties.

(c) Joint contributions shall be made to the trust fund:

(1) either by:

(A) the department through a general appropriation provided to the department;

(B) a line item appropriation directly to the trust fund;

or

(C) both; and

(2) by an employee beneficiary through authorized monthly deductions from the employee beneficiary's salary or wages. However, the employer may pay all or a part of the contribution for the employee beneficiary.

Contributions through an appropriation are not required for plans established or modifications adopted after June 30, 1989, unless the establishment or modification is approved by the county fiscal body.

(d) For a county not having a consolidated city, the monthly deductions from an employee beneficiary's wages for the trust

fund may not exceed six percent (6%) of the employee beneficiary's average monthly wages. For a county having a consolidated city, the monthly deductions from an employee beneficiary's wages for the trust fund may not exceed seven percent (7%) of the employee beneficiary's average monthly wages.

(e) The minimum annual contribution by the department must be sufficient, as determined by the pension engineers, to prevent deterioration in the actuarial status of the trust fund during that year. If the department fails to make minimum contributions for three (3) successive years, the pension trust terminates and the trust fund shall be liquidated.

(f) If during liquidation all expenses of the pension trust are paid, adequate provision must be made for continuing pension payments to retired persons. Each employee beneficiary is entitled to receive the net amount paid into the trust fund from the employee beneficiary's wages, and any remaining sum shall be equitably divided among employee beneficiaries in proportion to the net amount paid from their wages into the trust fund.

(g) If a person ceases to be an employee beneficiary because of death, disability, unemployment, retirement, or other reason, the person, the person's beneficiary, or the person's estate is entitled to receive at least the net amount paid into the trust fund from the person's wages, either in a lump sum or monthly installments not less than the person's pension amount.

(h) If an employee beneficiary is retired for old age, the employee beneficiary is entitled to receive a monthly income in the proper amount of the employee beneficiary's pension during the employee beneficiary's lifetime.

(i) To be entitled to the full amount of the employee beneficiary's pension classification, an employee beneficiary must have contributed at least twenty (20) years of service to the department before retirement. Otherwise, the employee beneficiary is entitled to receive a pension proportional to the length of the employee beneficiary's service.

(j) This subsection does not apply to a county that adopts an ordinance under section 12.1 of this chapter. For an employee beneficiary who retires before January 1, 1985, a monthly pension may not exceed by more than twenty dollars (\$20) one-half (1/2) the amount of the average monthly wage received during the highest paid five (5) years before retirement. However, in counties where the fiscal body approves the increases, the maximum monthly pension for an employee beneficiary who retires after December 31, 1984, may be increased by no more or no less than two percent (2%) of that average monthly wage for each year of service over twenty (20) years to a maximum of seventy-four percent (74%) of that average monthly wage plus twenty dollars (\$20). For the purposes of determining the amount of an increase in the maximum monthly pension approved by the fiscal body for an employee beneficiary who retires after December 31, 1984, the fiscal body may determine that the employee beneficiary's years of service include the years of service with the sheriff's department that occurred before the effective date of the pension trust. For an employee beneficiary who retires after June 30, 1996, the average monthly wage used to determine the employee beneficiary's pension benefits may not exceed the monthly minimum salary that a full-time prosecuting attorney was entitled to be paid by the state at the time the employee beneficiary retires.

(k) The trust fund may not be commingled with other funds, except as provided in this chapter, and may be invested only in accordance with statutes for investment of trust funds, including other investments that are specifically designated in the trust agreement.

(l) The trustee receives and holds as trustee all money paid to it as trustee by the department, the employee beneficiaries, or by other persons for the uses stated in the trust agreement.

(m) The trustee shall engage pension engineers to supervise

and assist in the technical operation of the pension trust in order that there is no deterioration in the actuarial status of the plan.

(n) Within ninety (90) days after the close of each fiscal year, the trustee, with the aid of the pension engineers, shall prepare and file an annual report with the department. The report must include the following:

(1) Schedule 1. Receipts and disbursements.

(2) Schedule 2. Assets of the pension trust listing investments by book value and current market value as of the end of the fiscal year.

(3) Schedule 3. List of terminations, showing the cause and amount of refund.

(4) Schedule 4. The application of actuarially computed "reserve factors" to the payroll data properly classified for the purpose of computing the reserve liability of the trust fund as of the end of the fiscal year.

(5) Schedule 5. The application of actuarially computed "current liability factors" to the payroll data properly classified for the purpose of computing the liability of the trust fund as of the end of the fiscal year.

(o) No part of the corpus or income of the trust fund may be used or diverted to any purpose other than the exclusive benefit of the members and the beneficiaries of the members.

(p) A sheriff:

(1) who remains actively employed; and

(2) whose years of service equal or exceed the maximum years of service recognized under the retirement plan, if any;

may elect to begin receiving in-service distributions of the sheriff's pension without separating from service."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 10 as printed January 10, 2020.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 12, nays 1.

VANNATTER, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Employment, Labor and Pensions, to which was referred Senate Bill 180, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 180 as printed January 17, 2020.)

Committee Vote: Yeas 13, Nays 0.

VANNATTER, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs, to which was referred Senate Bill 238, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 238 as printed January 29, 2020.)

Committee Vote: Yeas 11, Nays 0.

DEVON, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Veterans Affairs and Public Safety, to which was referred Senate Bill 258, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 258 as printed January 29, 2020.)
Committee Vote: Yeas 11, Nays 0.

FRYE R, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Employment, Labor and Pensions, to which was referred Senate Bill 269, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to SB 269 as printed January 24, 2020.)
Committee Vote: Yeas 13, Nays 0.

VANNATTER, Chair

Report adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Employment, Labor and Pensions, to which was referred Senate Bill 405, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 1, delete "if:" and insert "**if the construction is:**".

Page 2, line 5, after "any" insert "**other**".

(Reference is to SB 405 as printed January 31, 2020.)
and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 13, nays 0.

VANNATTER, Chair

Report adopted.

RESOLUTIONS ELIGIBLE FOR ADOPTION

Senate Concurrent Resolution 4

The Speaker handed down on its passage Senate Concurrent Resolution 4, sponsored by Representative Gutwein:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION memorializing Deputy Shadron K. Bassett and urging the Indiana Department of Transportation to name a mile of State Road 39 the "Deputy Shadron K. Bassett Memorial Mile".

The resolution was read a second time and adopted. Roll Call 183: yeas 95, nays 0. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

RESOLUTIONS ON FIRST READING

House Resolution 10

Representatives Pryor, V. Smith, Shackleford, Bartlett, Harris, Hatcher, Jackson, Porter and Summers introduced House Resolution 10:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION celebrating Black History Month.

Whereas, Black history has been celebrated by Americans each year since 1926, first as Negro History Week and later as Black History Month;

Whereas, Blacks have been in America since colonial times, but it was not until the 20th century that they were represented in history books;

Whereas, The celebration of Black History Month and the study of Black history came into being through the efforts of Dr. Carter G. Woodson;

Whereas, Dr. Woodson's parents were former slaves, and he spent his childhood working in the West Virginia coal mines;

Whereas, Dr. Woodson enrolled in high school at age 20, graduated within two years, and went on to earn a Ph.D. from Harvard University;

Whereas, Dr. Woodson was disturbed to find that history books largely ignored the Black American population and mentioned Blacks only in ways that reflected the inferior social position they were assigned at the time;

Whereas, Dr. Woodson began the task of writing Black Americans into the nation's history;

Whereas, Through the efforts of Dr. Woodson, several organizations were established as a way to bring national attention to the contributions of Black people throughout American history, including the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, founded in 1915 (now known as the Association for the Study of African American Life and History), the Journal of Negro History (now known as the Journal of African American History), and, in 1926, the establishment of Negro History Week;

Whereas, Dr. Woodson chose the second week of February for Negro History Week because it marks the birthdays of two men who greatly influenced the Black American population: Frederick Douglass and Abraham Lincoln;

Whereas, Black History Month, celebrated in February, acknowledges the achievements of Blacks in the military, arts, civil rights, education, entertainment, history, law, literature, medicine, music, politics, science, sports, and other areas;

Whereas, The goal of Black History Month is to bridge the gap created by American history's failure to accurately acknowledge, portray, and record the contributions and inventions of Blacks; and

Whereas, Black Americans reflect a legacy of courage and dedication that has helped to guide our nation's success and prosperity: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly acknowledges the many contributions and accomplishments of Black Americans throughout the history of the United States and Indiana.

SECTION 2. That the Indiana General Assembly urges entities and organizations to celebrate Black History Month.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Resolution 27

Representatives McNamara, Bosma, GiaQuinta and Steuerwald introduced House Resolution 27:

A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring State Representative Ronald Bacon.

Whereas, State Representative Ronald Bacon, who was first elected to represent the constituents of House District 75 in 2010, will be leaving the House Chamber for the last time at the end of the 2020 legislative session;

Whereas, During his time in the Indiana House of Representatives, Representative Bacon served as chair of the House Statutory Committee on Interstate and International Cooperation and vice chair of the House Public Health Committee;

Whereas, Representative Bacon has a passion for helping Hoosiers and leaves behind a legacy of public policy that impacts young Hoosiers, including ensuring that all Hoosier parents have access to resources regarding conditions and

disabilities that are diagnosed prenatally, protecting Hoosiers in assisted living facilities by providing them with information regarding the influenza vaccine, and protecting student athletes by ensuring coaches of students in grades 5 through 12 are trained to recognize the signs of heat exhaustion;

Whereas, The Indiana Chiropractic Association named him Legislator of the Year in 2017 for his work advocating for chiropractic services to be reimbursed under HIP;

Whereas, Representative Bacon received the Star of Life Award from Indiana Right to Life in honor of his work to support pro life issues and protect mothers and the unborn;

Whereas, Representative Bacon received the first Food and Policy Award from the Indiana Academy of Nutrition in recognition of his leadership on nutrition related issues in the Indiana General Assembly;

Whereas, Representative Bacon is an avid collector of bacon themed merchandise and memorabilia;

Whereas, Outside of his work as a state legislator, Representative Bacon is a respiratory therapist and has more than 50 years' experience in the health care field;

Whereas, Before being elected to the Indiana General Assembly, Representative Bacon served as a member of the Warrick County Council for four years and as coroner for six years; and

Whereas, Representative Bacon will retire and enjoy newfound time with Karen, his wife of more than 50 years, two daughters, and four grandchildren: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives honors State Representative Ronald Bacon for his years of service.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to Representative Wendy McNamara for distribution.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote.

House Concurrent Resolution 41

Representatives Thompson, Bauer, Cook and Klinker introduced House Concurrent Resolution 41:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION recognizing Katie Pourcho, 2020 Indiana Teacher of the Year.

Whereas, Ms. Katie Pourcho is Indiana's 2020 Teacher of the Year for her leadership and dedication inside and outside the classroom;

Whereas, Ms. Pourcho is an art educator, teaching kindergarten through second grade at North Elementary School in the Danville Community School Corporation;

Whereas, Ms. Pourcho displays exceptional skill and great passion while teaching her students how to use art as a source of expression;

Whereas, Ms. Pourcho is a graduate of Ball State University and holds a bachelor of arts in visual art education, with K-12 honors;

Whereas, Ms. Pourcho serves as a new teacher mentor for art educators entering the classroom, and she was the 2016 recipient of a Teacher Creativity Fellowship from the Lilly Endowment; and

Whereas, Ms. Pourcho is a professional artist in her community and works closely with the National Art Education Association and Danville Community School Corporation's Art Department Professional Learning Community: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates Ms. Katie Pourcho as Indiana's 2020 Teacher of the Year.

SECTION 2. That the Indiana General Assembly honors Ms. Katie Pourcho for her many contributions to Indiana as an educator in her community.

SECTION 3. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to the office of State Representative Jeff Thompson for distribution.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution. Senate sponsor: Senator Crane.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 33

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 33, sponsored by Representatives Macer and Fleming:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring Hoosier long-term care professionals.

Whereas, Hoosier long-term care professionals provide compassionate services that help to care for people with a chronic illness or disability;

Whereas, Focused on the elderly and mentally frail, long-term care professionals remain dedicated to improving Hoosiers' health and providing pathways to recovery and affordable living;

Whereas, Long-term care professionals not only are exceptional caregivers, they also introduce the highest quality control into home, adult, and other community-based healthcare facilities;

Whereas, Long-term care professionals provide stability and a better quality of life for their patients, leading to valued lifelong relationships; and

Whereas, Demonstrating high standards of professionalism, these caregivers dedicate extensive hours and promote innovative solutions for vulnerable Hoosiers: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly recognizes the countless hours of dedicated service and the multitude of contributions made by Hoosier long-term care professionals.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit copies of this resolution to the Indiana Healthcare Association

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 34

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 34, sponsored by Representative Pressel:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION memorializing William "Bill" Hager.

Whereas, William "Bill" Hager, a former LaPorte County Commissioner, passed away January 19, 2020, at the age of 84;

Whereas, A lifelong resident of LaPorte, Bill was born September 12, 1935, to Geneva and Lloyd Hager;

Whereas, Following high school, Bill joined the United States Marine Corps during the Korean War, and following his honorable discharge in 1957, Bill spent countless hours supporting veterans and their causes;

Whereas, Bill returned to LaPorte and married Ellen Paul on October 25, 1958, and together they raised four children: Craig, Chris, Curt, and Kathy;

Whereas, After his military service, Bill worked for Smith Chevrolet before starting his own business, Ace Auto;

Whereas, Bill was active in the Boy Scouts with his sons and was the leader of Troop 389 in LaPorte;

Whereas, In 1971, Bill was called back to public service when he was elected to serve as LaPorte County Justice of the Peace, a position to which Bill was reelected in 1975;

Whereas, Bill's public service continued when he served as LaPorte County Commissioner from 2001-2009; and

Whereas, Bill is survived by his wife, Ellen, four children, Craig, Chris, Curt, and Kathy, and three grandchildren: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate
of the General Assembly
of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives
concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly memorializes William "Bill" Hager.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the family of William "Bill" Hager

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 35

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 35, sponsored by Representative Carbaugh:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating the Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran High School boys cross country team on winning the 2019 Indiana High School Athletic Association ("IHSAA") state championship title.

Whereas, The Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran High School boys cross country team won the 2019 IHSAA state championship title with a score of 93 points;

Whereas, The Concordia Cadets dominated throughout the state tournament, winning the sectional, regional, and semi-state championships;

Whereas, Four Concordia runners placed in the top 30 during the state meet to hold off defending state champion Carmel;

Whereas, Concordia was led in scoring by Reece Gibson in 5th place, followed by Drake Kropf and Wilson Whicker in 17th and 18th place, respectively, Karsten Schlegel in 29th place, and Luke Bentz in 67th place overall;

Whereas, After the championship season, the Indiana Track and Cross Country Coaches Association named Reece Gibson the Class 3A All State Runner of the Year, and Drake Kropf, Wilson Whicker, and Karsten Schlegel were named to the All State 1st Team; and

Whereas, Led by head coach Scott Steffen, the Concordia Cadets won the school's first cross country team title: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran High School boys cross country team on winning the 2019 IHSAA state championship title.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit copies of this resolution to each member of the Fort Wayne Concordia Lutheran High School boys cross country team

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 42

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 42, sponsored by Representative Cherry:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating the Greenfield Central Cougar Pride Marching Band on placing first in Class B at the Indiana State School Music Association ("ISSMA") State Finals.

Whereas, After receiving the runner-up title in 2018, the Greenfield Central Cougar Pride Marching Band earned the first place title at the 2019 ISSMA State Finals, which included the top 10 Class B marching bands in the State of Indiana;

Whereas, The Greenfield Central Cougar Pride took the field at 11:45 a.m. on November 9th, 2019 at Lucas Oil Stadium;

Whereas, Greenfield Central's road to victory was paved by the over 450 hours of rehearsing by the 160 member ensemble;

Whereas, Greenfield Central's long hours paid off throughout the season as the Cougar Pride received caption awards at both the Brownsburg and Avon Invitationals for Best Percussion, at the Fishers Invitational for Best Visual, Music, and Effect, as well as earning a gold rating with distinction in both music and effect at the Evansville ISSMA Regional which earned the band an advancement to semi-state;

Whereas, The Cougar Pride performed and perfected renditions of "Moonlight Sonata", "Clair de Lune", and "Here Comes the Sun" within the 8-minute display titled "The Music of the Night";

Whereas, The ensemble began their theatrical performance for this sought after title by lying on the field while the pit orchestrated a melodical tune to wake the nocturnal creatures in which the members were meant to resemble;

Whereas, The performance ended on a colorful note when the young musicians meticulously demonstrated their immense talent by crescendoing into "Here Comes the Sun" ending the show on a high note; and

Whereas, Lead by directors Chris Wing and Jeremy Basso along with drum majors Brooklyn Harpold, Paige Johnson, and Haley Harper, the Cougar Pride was able to march their way to a victory on this seven-month journey to Lucas Oil Stadium and earn the Greenfield Central Marching Band's first state finals victory: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the Greenfield Central Cougar Pride Marching Band on placing first in Class B at the ISSMA State Finals.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit copies of this resolution to each member of the Greenfield Central Cougar Pride Marching Band.

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 47

The Speaker handed down Senate Concurrent Resolution 47, sponsored by Representative Goodin:

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION congratulating Michael Cleveland for winning the 2020 Grammy Award for Best Bluegrass Album.

Whereas, Michael Cleveland, a fiddler from Charlestown, Indiana, won the 2020 Grammy Award for Best Bluegrass Album, his second career Grammy Award;

Whereas, Born in Henryville in 1980, Michael learned to play by ear and began fiddling at a young age after hearing a fiddler play "Orange Blossom Special";

Whereas, When he was nine years old, Michael attended the Bean Blossom Bluegrass Festival and performed with bluegrass founding father Bill Monroe, beginning his young music performing career;

Whereas, Michael's talents were recognized at an early age while making appearances on the Grand Ole Opry stage, the radio show A Prairie Home Companion, and before the United States Congress;

Whereas, After graduating from the Kentucky School for the Blind, Michael began performing professionally, and released his first solo album, "Sawing on the C String", in 1998;

Whereas, Michael has performed with numerous bluegrass and country legends including Bill Monroe, Ralph Stanley, Doyle Lawson, Allison Krauss, and Vince Gill;

Whereas, Michael is the recipient of numerous awards, including being a three-time winner of the International Bluegrass Music Association (IBMA) Instrumental Album of the Year Award, an eleven-time winner of the IBMA Fiddle Player of the Year Award, and being a three-time winner of the IBMA Instrumental Group of the Year Award with his band, Flamekeeper;

Whereas, In 2018, Michael won his first Grammy Award for Best Bluegrass Album for his solo album "Fiddler's Dream";

Whereas, Two years later, Michael was nominated for and won his second Grammy Award for Best Bluegrass Album for his album "The Tall Fiddler"; and

Whereas, Michael Cleveland's fiddle talents have taken him all over the world, and he is an exemplary representative of southeastern Indiana: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,
the House of Representatives concurring:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates Michael Cleveland for winning the 2020 Grammy Award for Best Bluegrass Album and wishes him well in his future success.

SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to Michael Cleveland

The resolution was read a first time and adopted by voice vote. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the resolution.

ENGROSSED SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING

Engrossed Senate Bill 19

Representative Kirchhofer called down Engrossed Senate Bill 19 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 184: yeas 96, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 39

Representative Young called down Engrossed Senate Bill 39 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 185: yeas 93, nays 2. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 61

Representative Bacon called down Engrossed Senate Bill 61 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 186: yeas 94, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 187

Representative Miller called down Engrossed Senate Bill 187 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning courts and court officers.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 187: yeas 95, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 246

Representative Cook called down Engrossed Senate Bill 246 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 188: yeas 96, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 273

Representative Kirchhofer called down Engrossed Senate Bill 273 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 189: yeas 92, nays 3. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill 366

Representative Gutwein called down Engrossed Senate Bill 366 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 190: yeas 95, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill.

ENGROSSED SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

Engrossed Senate Bill 255

Representative Kirchhofer called down Engrossed Senate Bill 255 for second reading. The bill was read a second time by title.

HOUSE MOTION (Amendment 255-1)

Mr. Speaker: I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 255 be amended to read as follows:

Page 2, after line 8, begin a new paragraph and insert:
"SECTION 3. IC 27-8-14.5-3.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020]: **Sec. 3.5. As used in this chapter, "prescription insulin drug" means a prescription drug that contains insulin, is used to treat diabetes, and has been prescribed as medically necessary.**

SECTION 4. IC 27-8-14.5-6.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2020]: **Sec. 6.5. (a) An insurer shall cap the total amount an insured is required to pay for a thirty (30) day supply of the insured's prescription insulin drugs at an amount not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100), regardless of the number of prescriptions and different types of prescription insulin drugs prescribed and filled in that thirty (30) day period.**

(b) An insurer may reduce the total amount an insured is required to pay for a thirty (30) day supply of the insured's prescription insulin drugs to an amount less than the amount of the cap specified in subsection (a). (c) This section applies to a health insurance plan that is issued, delivered, amended, or renewed after June 30, 2020."

(Reference is to ESB 255 as printed February 14, 2020.)

SHACKLEFORD

Representative Leonard rose to a point of order, citing Rule 80, stating that the motion was not germane to the bill. The Speaker ruled the point was well taken and the motion was out of order. The bill was ordered engrossed.

OTHER BUSINESS ON THE SPEAKER'S TABLE

Reassignments

The Speaker announced the reassignment of Engrossed Senate Bill 355 from the Committee on Public Health to the Committee on Interstate and International Cooperation.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Morrison, Pfaff and Heaton be added as cosponsors of Engrossed Senate Bill 66.

CHERRY

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Klinker be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 132.

FRYE

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative VanNatter be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 180.

CARBAUGH

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Pressel, Lauer and Moseley be added as cosponsors of Engrossed Senate Bill 197.

SOLIDAY

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Judy be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 237.

MORRIS

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Lehman be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 257.

SOLIDAY

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Bartels and Klinker be added as cosponsors of Engrossed Senate Bill 258.

FRYE

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Goodin be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 273.

KIRCHHOFFER

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Bartels be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 316.

ZENT

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Bartels be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 343.

MANNING

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative VanNatter be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 406.

BARTELS

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Schaibley be added as cosponsor of Engrossed Senate Bill 424.

ENGLEMAN

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Barrett be added as cosponsor of Senate Concurrent Resolution 5.

BOSMA

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Fleming, Davisson and Lauer be added as cosponsors of Senate Concurrent Resolution 47.

GOODIN

Motion prevailed.

HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Goodin be added as coauthor of House Resolution 10.

PRYOR

Motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed, without amendments, Engrossed House Bills 1095 and 1198 and the same are herewith returned to the House.

JENNIFER L. MERTZ

Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed House Concurrent Resolutions 11, 13 and 32 and the same are herewith returned to the House.

JENNIFER L. MERTZ

Principal Secretary of the Senate

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed Senate Concurrent Resolutions 2, 31, 33, 34, 35, 39, 42, 44 and 47 and the same are herewith transmitted to the House for further action.

JENNIFER L. MERTZ

Principal Secretary of the Senate

Pursuant to House Rule 60, committee meetings were announced.

On the motion of Representative Bacon, the House adjourned at 3:14 p.m., this eighteenth day of February, 2020, until Thursday, February 20, 2020, at 10:00 a.m.

BRIAN C. BOSMA

Speaker of the House of Representatives

M. CAROLINE SPOTTS

Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives